

## BARRE DAILY TIMES

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Frank E. Langley, Publisher.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1906.

The average daily circulation of the  
 Barre Daily Times for the week ending  
 Saturday was

**4,155**

copies, the largest paid circulation of  
 any daily paper in this section.

The ground hog has been vindicated.  
 Now look for warmer weather.

The Iroquois theater disaster, the Slo-  
 cum steamboat disaster, the Courtesiers  
 mine disaster, all make a line of catas-  
 trophes of very great proportion for  
 in each the slaughter was in the neigh-  
 borhood of a thousand. What and where  
 will be the fourth in the line?

One newspaper placed Susan B. An-  
 thony's birth place as South Adams,  
 Vermont. While Vermont would have  
 been pleased with the honor, it will  
 rightfully have to relinquish the same to  
 Massachusetts, as Adams, Mass., is  
 the birth place of the famous woman.

Montpelier has a tendency to keep  
 its officials in office. The street super-  
 intendent has been in office for fifteen  
 years. The water superintendent has  
 been there almost since the city was  
 organized. The city attorney has held  
 his place for fully as long a period.  
 And other officials count several years  
 in the same places. The tendency is  
 shown also by the fact that only one  
 change was made this year in a list of  
 a score or more of positions.

ST. ALBANS HAS A BUSINESS  
MAYOR.

If the inaugural message of Mayor  
 M. E. Wheeler of St. Albans were to be  
 taken as a criterion, the judgment  
 would be that St. Albans is extremely  
 fortunate in the choice of its chief ex-  
 ecutive. Throughout the entire com-  
 munication runs a thread which betokens  
 the business man and one who wishes  
 to run the city affairs as he would  
 run his private interests—that is, to get  
 as much in return as is possible from  
 the money expended. There is also a tone  
 of caution which should satisfy the tax-  
 payers that their affairs will not be  
 run recklessly. There is, too, the spirit  
 of progressiveness insofar as the finances  
 of the treasury will permit. Mayor  
 Wheeler says for one thing: "Let us  
 look carefully to the keys of our treas-  
 ury and bar out all extravagance. In  
 public as well as in private affairs, pru-  
 dence and economy should be commended,  
 wastefulness and extravagance censured."  
 Then he proceeds to outline the  
 probable expenses for the year and the  
 probable income, laying carefully be-  
 fore the citizens of St. Albans the exact  
 state of their finances, not forgetting  
 to mention that there is an outstanding  
 indebtedness at the beginning of the  
 present fiscal year. He takes the position  
 that permanent improvement should be  
 governed by the amount of money on  
 hand and that if the citizens want  
 changes made they will express their de-  
 sires by forwarding the necessary funds.  
 If Mayor Wheeler has his way about it,  
 the city of St. Albans will find itself in  
 good shape at the end of the term.

## WHEN A JOKE IS A REAL JOKE.

Persons are of different tempera-  
 ments; that is a certainty which en-

Barre Savings Bank  
and Trust Co.

Another evidence of the  
 confidence of the public in  
 this Bank is the steady growth  
 of business since organization  
 twelve years ago, as shown by  
 the following

Comparative Statement of Deposits  
MARCH 1st.

1893	\$1,648.30
1894	\$1,077.82
1895	\$1,149,687.39
1896	\$206,024.54
1897	\$236,839.79
1898	\$320,534.36
1899	\$404,971.00
1900	\$487,291.77
1901	\$623,528.22
1902	\$746,867.50
1903	\$925,469.31
1904	\$1,174,043.57
1905	\$1,230,378.24
1906	\$1,274,364.33

3-1-2 per cent interest on sav-  
 ings. New accounts invited

J. HENRY JACKSON, President  
 F. G. HOWLAND, Treasurer.



In the Spring if your  
 foot has lost its spring, the  
 best tonic is our "new  
 form" Shoe.

If your feet are hide-  
 bound, our new Calf  
 Shoes at \$3.50 will give  
 them breathing room;  
 just the kind of a founda-  
 tion for our high quality  
 Suits.

## Fur Coats to Rent.

WE CLEAN, PRESS AND  
 REPAIR CLOTHING.



174 Main Street, Barre, Vt.

certains of no doubt. Some will cry  
 when others are stirred to laughter. A  
 part of the human family will be gloomy  
 and morose while the other part is en-  
 joying itself. A joke will appeal to  
 many, which to others appears to be the  
 most palpable bit of silliness. The jok-  
 er may think himself a smart chap,  
 while those about him are in misery.  
 But there often comes a turning of the  
 lane and the joker finds the joke on  
 himself. Then his effort becomes a real  
 bit of fun. Such we imagine was the  
 case of the man who, evidently under  
 compulsion, was made to publish the  
 following in the Burlington Daily News:  
 "I wish to inform the readers of your  
 paper through the columns of this even-  
 ing's edition that I am responsible for  
 the false information which led you to  
 publish in last evening's paper the an-  
 nouncement of the engagement in mar-  
 riage of a young lady of this city with  
 a gentleman of Winooski. I am unac-  
 quainted with either of the parties men-  
 tioned, and merely did it for a practical  
 joke."

We fancy that it was with a good  
 deal of satisfaction that the contem-  
 porary published the communication, with  
 the name of the author of the item ap-  
 pended. What a humorist that he  
 should have chosen to link the names  
 of two persons with whom he was un-  
 acquainted in such a manner! What  
 splendid workings of the brain evolved  
 such a cute little joke! Such genius  
 should not go unrewarded, and the con-  
 temporary has done a real service in pre-  
 senting to its readers one of so signal  
 ability. Let the world know of the  
 humorist. Then let the world laugh if  
 it wants to.

## JINGLES AND JESTS.

## BLESSINGS.

Oh, blessed is the man who knows  
 enough to make a speech;  
 Whose graceful erudition shows  
 A mighty mental reach;  
 Who comes before the listening throng  
 With eloquence and skill,  
 And wakes them all, both weak and  
 strong,  
 To a responsive thrill.

But far more blessed is the man  
 Who goes from day to day,  
 And merely does the best he can  
 With nothing much to say.  
 Unblamed by all his fellow men,  
 It is his joy to find  
 Himself his only critic when  
 He wants to change his mind.  
 —Washington Star.

## Force of Habit.

Charon laughed.  
 "But that tall chap was a senator  
 or congressman on earth," he whis-  
 pered.  
 "Why so?" asked the society reporter  
 of the Asbestos Age.  
 "Because as soon as he stepped on the  
 ferry he began to fumble about for a  
 pass."—Chicago News.

## SYSTEMATIC SAVING.

An early start and a defi-  
 nite plan help to assure suc-  
 cess to the young person  
 starting out in life. It isn't  
 necessary to be penurious  
 nor is it wise to be extrava-  
 gant. The best way to ac-  
 quire a competence is to  
 open a savings account with  
 this Bank. Deposit as much  
 as you can each pay day—  
 and stick to it. DO IT  
 NOW. A dollar opens an  
 account.

## Granite

SAVINGS BANK  
 AND TRUST COMPANY,  
 BARRE, VERMONT.

## MIDDLEBURY'S COMMISSIONERS.

Two Republicans and One Democrat  
 Chosen.

Middlebury, March 15.—Assistant  
 Judges A. W. Foote of Cornwall and E.  
 A. Field of Fenton were here yesterday  
 and appointed the license commissioners  
 for Middlebury last evening. They are  
 J. E. Buttolph, Charles M. Remels and  
 John O'Connor. This has all the ele-  
 ments of a good board, all being sub-  
 stantial citizens. Mr. O'Connor is a  
 Democrat, the other two Republicans.  
 O'Connor was Democratic member of the  
 first license commission here three years  
 ago. In the general consideration of  
 the probable appointments, Messrs. But-  
 toph and Remels had not been thought  
 of as candidates or likely appointees.

## A Satisfactory Substitute.

Masculine voices (thickly, over the  
 telephone)—Hello! hello! Is Col. High-  
 ball there?  
 Obliging Stenographer (sweetly)—  
 No, sir, but he's around the office some-  
 where. His hat's here.

## BARRE OPERA HOUSE

FOX & EATON, Mgrs.  
 J. E. HO A., Resident Mgr.

SATURDAY EVENING, March 17th.

THE  
Siege of Limerick

Under the Auspices of  
 St. Monica's Dramatic Society

## Characters.

Patrick Sraffield, Irish general, P. E.  
 McNulty.  
 Roger O'Gorman, Irish gentleman, W. J.  
 Kingston.  
 Dermot O'Gorman, his son, J. A. Healy.  
 Harry Nugent, Dermot's friend, A. L.  
 Gravelin.  
 Serg. Hagan and Corp. Hogan, officers in  
 the Irish army, William Morrison.  
 Surgeon, in Irish army, D. B. Kingston.  
 Micky Cassidy, a lively Irish boy, D. J.  
 Sullivan.  
 Tim Brannigan, his faithful friend, J.  
 T. Callaghan.  
 Barney O'Reilly, a blacksmith, Thos.  
 Mercer.  
 Dan O'Reafferty, his assistant, J. J.  
 Hastings.  
 Tom Conneland, an Irish car driver,  
 Dennis Dineen.  
 Rory Maguire, an Irish sentinel, John  
 Drummond.  
 Beaujacques, a "brave" domestic, Wal-  
 ter Scott.  
 Col. Breckinbridge, a "loyal" soldier of  
 the king, M. McMahon.  
 Serg. Blakely and Corp. Bingley, in the  
 king's army, W. A. Reilly.  
 Irish soldiers, Frank Nelson, Thos. Mc-  
 Goff, W. H. Marsh, J. Pettier, Dan  
 Keefe and John Drummond.  
 English soldiers, P. E. Pettier, J. J.  
 Hastings, T. Kenebeck, J. Marshall.  
 Peasants, villagers, etc.

## Synopsis.

Act 1.—Drawing room in O'Gorman's  
 house.  
 Act 2.—Barney O'Reilly's blacksmith  
 shop in the mountains.  
 Act 3.—In the mountains near Lime-  
 rick.

## Specialties.

Songs by Misses Grace Devers and  
 Beatrice Callaghan, Mr. William Rob-  
 ertson and Mr. D. J. Sullivan.

## Executive Staff.

D. J. Sullivan, general manager; T. J.  
 Callaghan, advertising agent; Frank  
 Brown, stage director.

Prices, — 25c, 35c and 50c

Tickets on sale at Red Cross Phar-  
 macy. Gilbertson's orchestra will fur-  
 nish music.

## Every Purchaser

Of a Dorothy Dodd Shoe  
 may buy for three cents a  
 twenty-five cent package of  
 Gilt Edge or any other Shoe  
 Dressing that you prefer,  
 during this week.

Newest Spring styles, the  
 Varsity Cut in Gun Metal  
 Calf, Patent Leather and  
 Vici Kid.

The "Bench Made" styles  
 have the clever shoe making,  
 the finish, the look of high-  
 priced Custom Shoes. Their  
 range of lasts covers every  
 need, and fitting qualities  
 are superb.

\$3.00 and \$3.50

## W. J. McLEAN,

200 No. Main St., Barre, Vt.

## SALT SALMON

This is Lent and Fish is in or-  
 der every day. Our Columbia  
 River Salmon is just prime. If you  
 wish for a whole Fish we have  
 them at from four to seven pounds  
 in weight, and sell them at nine  
 cents a pound. If you wish a Fish  
 cut up, why we can sell it to you  
 for 10 cents a pound.

## SMITH &amp; CUMINGS,

305 North Main Street, Barre, Vermont.

## SHOWED GOOD COURAGE.

Rutland Man Risked Life and Saved  
 Companion.

Rutland, March 15.—After going be-  
 neath the surface of the waters of True  
 Blue pond, West Rutland, twice and  
 sinking for the last time, Charles Lan-  
 an was rescued yesterday by J. R. Mac-  
 Hugh, who grabbed him by the hair just  
 in time. Yarnan was walking across the  
 thin ice when it gave way and he was  
 precipitated into the water.

MacHugh risked his own life to save  
 that of his companion, who was removed  
 to his home.

## DIVORCE NOT CONTESTED.

Bill Granted to Henry L. Wetherby of  
 Burlington.

Burlington, March 15.—A bill of di-  
 vorce was granted yesterday by Judge  
 Miles in the case of Henry L. Wetherby  
 vs. Hattie E. Wetherby. The hearing  
 on this petition was known to only a  
 few. The bill was granted on the  
 grounds of intolerable severity and there  
 was no contest. Mrs. Wetherby and  
 the two minor children being absent  
 from the city.

## TWO HORSES DROWNED.

Ice Cutting on Lake Champlain Accom-  
 panied With Loss.

Burlington, March 15.—The number  
 of horses lost by drowning since ice  
 cutting began was further increased last  
 evening, when two animals, valued at  
 about \$300, took an icy bath, and before  
 they were gotten out of the water were  
 dead. The horses were hauling a sled  
 with about 20 cakes of ice for the Con-  
 sumers' Ice company. When they reach-  
 ed a weak spot in the ice, the weight of  
 the horses and load being 4,200 pounds,  
 the ice broke and precipitated the sled  
 and horses into the water, which at this  
 point is about 30 feet deep. Assistance  
 was soon at hand and every effort was  
 made to rescue the horses. When they  
 were finally gotten out of the water,  
 both horses were dead. The sled was  
 also recovered. The accident happened  
 inside the rakewater, near the Spaulding  
 & Kimball company's property. One  
 of the horses was owned by A. G. Fer-  
 guson and the other by E. F. Moore.

## EAST BARRE.

The East Barre W. C. T. U. will meet  
 with Mrs. Conny Tuesday after noon,  
 March 20, to observe Neal Dow's birth-  
 day, instead of on March 16.

## Barre Savings Bank and Trust Co.

BARRE, VERMONT.

Statement, : : : March 1, 1906.

ASSETS.	LIABILITIES.
Real Estate Loans .....	Capital Stock .....
Other Loans .....	Surplus Fund .....
Bonds and Investments .....	Undivided Profits .....
U. S. 2 per cent Bonds, at par .....	Dividend No. 13, 8 per cent .....
Other U. S. Bonds .....	Deposits .....
Funds on hand .....	Premium, U. S. Bonds sold .....
Total .....	Total .....

Books issued for ONE DOLLAR  
 and upwards.

Deposits by mail will receive prompt  
 attention.  
 All our Mortgage Loans are made  
 on improved property in the State  
 of Vermont.

Interest credited to depositors April  
 1 and Oct. 1 in each year, thus giv-  
 ing depositors compound interest.  
 Business deposits received subject  
 to check.  
 We should be pleased to do busi-  
 ness with you.

## DIRECTORS:

J. HENRY JACKSON,  
 E. W. BISBEE,  
 R. A. EASTMAN,

HOMER FITTS,  
 M. E. HOWLAND,  
 W. G. REYNOLDS,

GEORGE B. MILNE,  
 RURT H. WELLS,  
 F. G. HOWLAND.

3-1-2 PER CENT PAID ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS.  
 DRAFTS ON LONDON.

## CLEMENT'S POSITION ON STATE HIGHWAYS

Some state papers are trying to commit Mr. Clem-  
 ent to a proposition of "bonding the state" for an "expensive  
 system of trunk line highways." The bonding idea is not  
 his. It was advocated by Fuller C. Smith of St. Albans.

The Clement proposition has only to do with  
 BUILDING GOOD ROADS AND SAVING  
 MONEY TO PAY FOR THEM. Constructed at  
 the rate of say 50 miles per year, and that is the distance  
 from Montpelier to Burlington, from Rutland to Ben-  
 nington, there is money enough raised NOW to do the  
 work. Not by raising an extra tax, not by making the  
 poor man's burden heavier, but merely by saving what  
 we've got now.

Out of \$700,000 to \$800,000 per year, Vermont  
 wastes at least \$250,000. Useless commissions, extrava-  
 gant and graft permitting business methods FOOL  
 AWAY ONE THIRD OF OUR STATE REVE-  
 NUE. Let's stop it.

A stone road, sixteen feet wide, and that's wider than  
 we really need, costs about \$5,000 per mile to build.  
 Our yearly waste of state funds would BUILD 50  
 MILES OF PERMANENT ROAD EACH YEAR.

The argument that the farmer doesn't want good  
 roads is foolish. Wagon transportation costs the United  
 States \$950,000,000 per year and we pay our share. On a  
 dirt road 1 1/2 tons per load is a good average; on a  
 stone road it is 3 or 4 tons. This means that good  
 roads would save Vermont one half of her share of \$950-  
 000,000.

A trunk highway through a town would leave  
 more money to spend on cross roads, hill roads and val-  
 ley roads. The whole highway system of the town would  
 improve. Who says the farmer wouldn't be helped by  
 good roads from his farm to the railroad, from farm to  
 farm and from farm to town.

## THE FARMER KNOWS BETTER.

Let's keep on talking PERMANENT and GOOD  
 ROADS. They're practical subjects that touch us where  
 we live.

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## INGERSOLL WATCHES

Two million sold every year. Stem wind and  
 stem set. Look for INGERSOLL on the dial. We  
 have an immense stock. See our show window.

## FRED KING,

JEWELER.

DEPOT SQUARE, BARRE, VERMONT

## Delicious

## Consoling

## If you have never smoked a

## GOLDEN WEDDING

Cigar—the Penetella shape—you have missed the  
 smokers' dream. O. C. Taylor & Co. Props, Burlington, Vt.

## SATURDAY BARGAIN

## SEPARATE SKIRTS

One hundred Ladies' Dress and Walking Skirts  
 to be sold Saturday at COST. Some below cost. Prices  
 from \$1.00 and \$1.50 to \$4.00 each. At this sale no  
 Skirts go out on approval or exchanged.

The O'nest Dry Goods Store in the City.  
 The Only Agency For Butterick Patterns.

*The Vaughan Store*

## As Time Goes On Interest Grows

Some Sales are one day's affairs, but in this Sale each day  
 grows better. Now if you have been a purchaser you know why.  
 If you haven't, think it over. To say the least it is not because  
 customers have been disappointed, and we hardly think it neces-  
 sary to tell you it's because they have been more than pleased.  
 Anyhow, any day since the Sale began we haven't begun to be  
 able to serve the people that have wanted admittance to our store  
 and any woman who has her own interest at heart, whether she  
 lives near or far, will be here some day before the Sale ends.

Of time there is seven days more

The Sale a Removal Sale.

The place, The Corner Store,  
 Sign over the door reads

## THE PERLEY E. POPE CO.,

Corner Main and State Sts.,

Montpelier, Vermont.

NOTE—As we said in our announcement, owing to the low  
 prices asked we will not allow goods out on memorandum, re-  
 serve, deliver or charge, and remember everything in this store is  
 marked down.

## Something New—\$1500.00

## THE PHOENIX MUTUAL LIFE INS. CO.

Writes a policy which settles in twenty years or at age 50, 60  
 or 70 guaranteeing \$1500.00 as a cash settlement for each  
 \$1000.00 insurance. In addition it gives large annual divi-  
 dends which may be used to reduce premiums or increase  
 insurance. If you are inter-  
 ested fill out this coupon and  
 mail it to

NAME .....

RESIDENCE .....

AGE .....

D. C. JONES, General Agent,  
 47 Elm Street, Barre, Vermont.

## To the Public in General of Barre!

Owing to the abuse of the present credit system  
 and the immense amount of money lost from year to  
 year, we have decided to sell for STRICTLY CASH  
 ON AND AFTER APRIL 1st, 1906, goods to be paid  
 for at our store or when delivered. We take this step  
 believing that the consumer can save from one to five  
 cents per pound on all goods bought from us for spot  
 cash. Watch this space for prices. We take this op-  
 portunity to thank you all for past patronage and hope,  
 by strict attention to business, to receive a fair share  
 of your trade in the future.

## Chesser &amp; Bird,

EDWARD CRESSER.

FRED BIRD.

## EAT PURE CANDY

Of all Candy sold in the city our  
 Candy is the purest and most  
 palatable. FRESH MADE DAILY

## The BARRE CANDY KITCHEN

## Announcement!

Having bought the market business of Geo. C. Richard-  
 son we are prepared to furnish the public with everything to  
 be found in a first class market, including all kinds of Meat  
 and Vegetables at right prices. Our business will be run on a  
 strictly cash basis. Give us a share of your patronage.

## The PEOPLES MARKET,

T. H. PARKER.

A. Tomasi Block. Tel. 408-3

M. G. ROSEN.